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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (PARA 1, LASTWORD 2ND LINE)

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, OGEN, LE, US, KS

SUBJECT: ASSISTANCE TO ROK EMBASSY BEIRUT

1. ROK EMBASSY COUNSELOR YOO CALLED AT DEPARTMENT JAN 19 TO REQUEST ASSISTANCE IN DETERMINING WELFARE OF FOUR EMBASSY OFFICERS REMAINING IN BEIRUT. YOO SAID THAT ROK FOREIGN MINISTRY HAS BEEN UNABLE TO CONTACT EMBASSY BEIRUT FOLLOWING GENERAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS BREAKDOWN ABOUT JAN 17. HE ASKED IF U.S. EMBASSY COULD CONTACT KOREANS BY PHONE.

2. IF POSSIBLE, DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY ATTEMPT TO CONTACT ROK AMBASSADOR CHANG SOON-KUN OR HIS DEPUTY AT 470-775 OR 470120 TO ASCERTAIN THEIR SITUATION AND OFFER APPROPRIATE ASSISTANCE. KISSINGER

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